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JOHN WILCOX IS PARADE GRAND MARSHAL



JOHN WILCOX, who was born along the Tule river in the area of the present Success reservoir, and who, at 88 years of age, still sits a horse with the ease of a youngster, has been named Grand Marshal of the 1960 Veterans' Homecoming parade in Porterville, on November 11. Born in 1872, Mr. Wilcox attended school in Porterville, and learned the cattle business from his father, Orgin A. Wilcox, who had come to the Tule river country in 1856, as a boy of 16 years, along with his father, to join relatives. John Wilcox's mother was Clara Emerson, a great niece of the poet, Ralph Waldo Emerson. The parade marshal is still engaged in the cattle business, and makes his home, with his wife, in the Alta Vista district. He has two brothers — Guy and Fred, in Porterville, a sister, Mrs. Grace Traeger, also in Porterville, and another sister, Alice McKean, of Avenal. (Torres Photo)

SHAFTER FIELD STATION MEETING TO SHOW LATEST DEVELOPMENTS IN PRODUCTION OF COTTON IN VALLEY

By Alan G. George
Farm Advisor

VISALIA, Oct. 27 — Cotton growers and others interested will have the opportunity of at-

tending the annual Cotton Field day to be held at the U. S. Cotton Field station, one mile north of Shafter, on Tuesday, November 1, beginning at 9:30 in the morning.

The program will present the
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Flower Show For Homecoming Days

PORTERVILLE, Oct. 27 — A community flower show, in connection with the 1960 Veterans' Homecoming will be staged under auspices of the Petal Pushers and the Porterville Garden club, November 10 and 11, at 518 North Main street.

Concert Drive Ends Saturday

PORTERVILLE, Oct. 27 — New member drive for the Porterville Community Concert association will end Saturday, October 29, with memberships being accepted at Jones Hardware and Esther's Home Furnishings in Porterville; accepting memberships in Lindsay are Mesdames Alfred Stuart and Herbert Barnes.

STORAGE OF TULE WATER WILL BE STUDIED BY DITCH COMPANY REPRESENTATIVES

PORTERVILLE, Oct. 27 — Just as they have been doing for the last 100 years, farmers along the Tule river met Monday night to "talk out" new water problems that result from construction of Success dam — but unlike some of the old days, there was considerable good humor connected with the meeting rather than the bitterness that often characterized meetings of the past.

Upshot was that Norman Castle, chairman of the Tule River Water Users' association, was instructed by motion to ask each of the nine Tule water using groups that belong to the association to name one representative to further discuss Success reservoir water storage problems at a meeting in the Porterville city hall the evening of November 4, at 8 o'clock.

In this meeting an effort will be made to determine possible policy desired in connection with Success reservoir storage, then arrange for a meeting with bureau of reclamation officials to get "definite answers" on just what kind of contracts will be necessary.

One major problem evolves around the contracting agency — will this agency be the Tule River Water Users' association, or one of the more recently formed irrigation districts along the Tule? It was suggested in the meeting that if the association is to enter into a contract, its by-laws would have to be rewritten, and there might also be a ques-

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Band Named For Rose Parade

PORTERVILLE, Oct. 27 — Next big-time appearance for the classy Porterville High School Panther band — the Tournament of Roses parade in Pasadena on New Year's day. Verification that the band has been selected for the Rose parade was received this week by Director Buck Shaffer.



BACK STAGE view of Less and Ellie Heath, with their marionettes that will perform in the Porterville Memorial auditorium, Saturday morning, 11:00 o'clock, under auspices of the Porterville unit of the American Association of University Women. Featured production will be "Pinocchio"; admission will be 50 cents.

\$100 BONUS IS WAITING ON TUESDAY

GIANT REDWOOD TO BE DEDICATED TO GIANT OF COLLEGIATE FOOTBALL

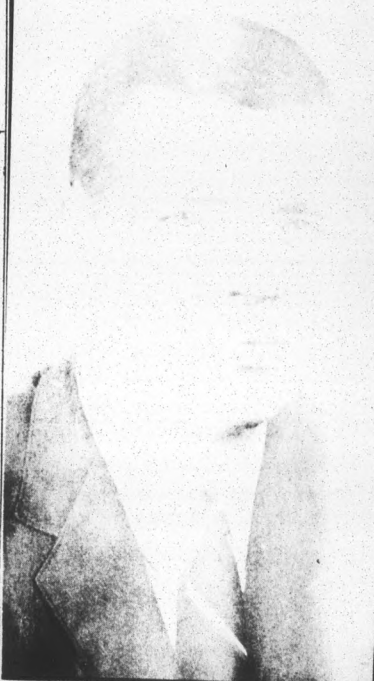
LINDSAY, Oct. 27 — A giant of the football world — 98-year-old Amos Alonzo Stagg, will be honored Friday, at 11 a.m., when a giant Redwood is dedicated in

PIONEER CONTRACT ABOUT READY

PORTERVILLE, October 27 — Draft of a contract between the bureau of reclamation and the Pioneer Water company for storage of Tule River water back of Success dam this spring may be ready about November 7, it was reported this week by Al Hilton, president of the water company.

Hilton says that the amount of storage is still being discussed, also a firm figure on cost; the contract will be of a temporary nature to cover only a year of operation.

For a period of several months,
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GEORGE W. ABBOTT, Assistant Secretary of the Interior, who spoke last night in Tulare at a county-wide Republican fund-raising dinner and rally. Master of ceremonies for the event was Gene Raymond, stage, motion picture and TV acting star.

THERMOMETERS TO BE TESTED ON NOVEMBER 3

PORTERVILLE, Oct. 27 — Anticipating the coming winter weather, orchard thermometers will be tested in Porterville on November 3 by Thomas R. Crossan, meteorologist, U.S. Weather bureau, Lindsay.

Growers should leave thermometers at the Tulare County Fruit Exchange office by not later than 10 a.m.; they will be

his memory on the northeast slope of Jordan peak on property owned by the Roach family.

The Redwood, in a virgin stand
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Time Out

By DAVIS HARP

**LOVING DISGUST IS ATTITUDE
OF RAM FANS; PUHS BAND GREAT**

The attitude of the average Los Angeles Ram fan at the coliseum Sunday seems to be loving disgust. There should be no doubt that the Rams are loved; 63,000 die-hard fans were scattered throughout the huge oval

depression to see their Pros who have lost 12 consecutive National Football League contests.

The typical zany Ram fan has a cynical, but hopeful outlook on things. One gentleman, sitting behind us, commented, after a

particularly fruitless effort, that John Arnett was taking clumsy lessons from Ollie Matson. Arnett is now known as Arnut, and is tauntingly called "our all-American boy." Another man shouted, everytime a Chicago Bear came near, "Hey, Kimosable."

But the Ram fan is more than willing to give their approval with roaring cheers that pour over the edge of the huge bowl

and tell everyone within miles that the Rams have done something right.

The Rams gave their followers plenty to cheer about Sunday as they battled to a 24-24 draw with the rugged Chicago Bears. The Rams showed good running and slightly erratic passing as they led most of the game only to be tied up in the third and fourth quarter by the on-target tosses of Bear Q. B. Zeke Bratkowski.

The most impressive thing about the contest, in our opinion, was the defensive line play of the Rams. The Bear running game, headed by hard-driving Rick Casares, never got started as they were smashed down time and again by the mammoth Ram defenders. Linebacker Les Richter at one point staged a one-man defensive show, making five consecutive tackles. The 240 pound former University of California all-American moves with the quickness of a sports car, and tackles with the crushing power of a diesel truck.

During the half-time of the contest, Porterville's traveling chamber of commerce, the Porterville High School Panther Band performed flawlessly for the appreciative crowd. At the end of their program they were given a cheer that Ram fans usually reserve for 75 yard touch-down runs. The wife, who is a former majorette in the Panther band, was responsible for about half of the ovation.

We think that a pat on the back goes to Buck Schaffer, the PUHS band director, for the terrific program put on by his outstanding organization, and Bob Bennett, Porterville's number one booster, for making the trip possible.

Meanwhile, back at the ranch, the Porterville College Pirates dropped number six to Taft JC's Cougars 39-6 and the PUHS Panthers notched win number two, in league play, over Delano 20-6.

The Pirates will attempt to salvage the 1960 season Saturday night in Jamison Stadium when they take on the jet-fast College of the Sequoias Giants. The Giants were early season championship favorites, but have not lived up to their press clippings. They currently sport a 3-3 record, with two of their losses being league play.

Friday night PUHS's fast improving Panthers meet the Mt. Whitney Pioneers in Jamison Stadium. The Pioneers were 9-0 victims of Hanford last week and are not likely to upset the Panthers in their current surge, which we predict will carry them right to the Central Yosemite League championship.

Medical Mirror
WHAT DOCTORS SAY ABOUT:**Shifting Bulges**

• Eye Blinking



Q. Is it possible to lose weight by massage?

A. At body temperature, fat is semi-fluid or jelly-like in consistency. It may be shifted about to some extent by massage (and thus change contours slightly) but massage will not reduce weight. There is no easy way to lose weight.

Q. What could 'cause persistent "blinking" in a child?

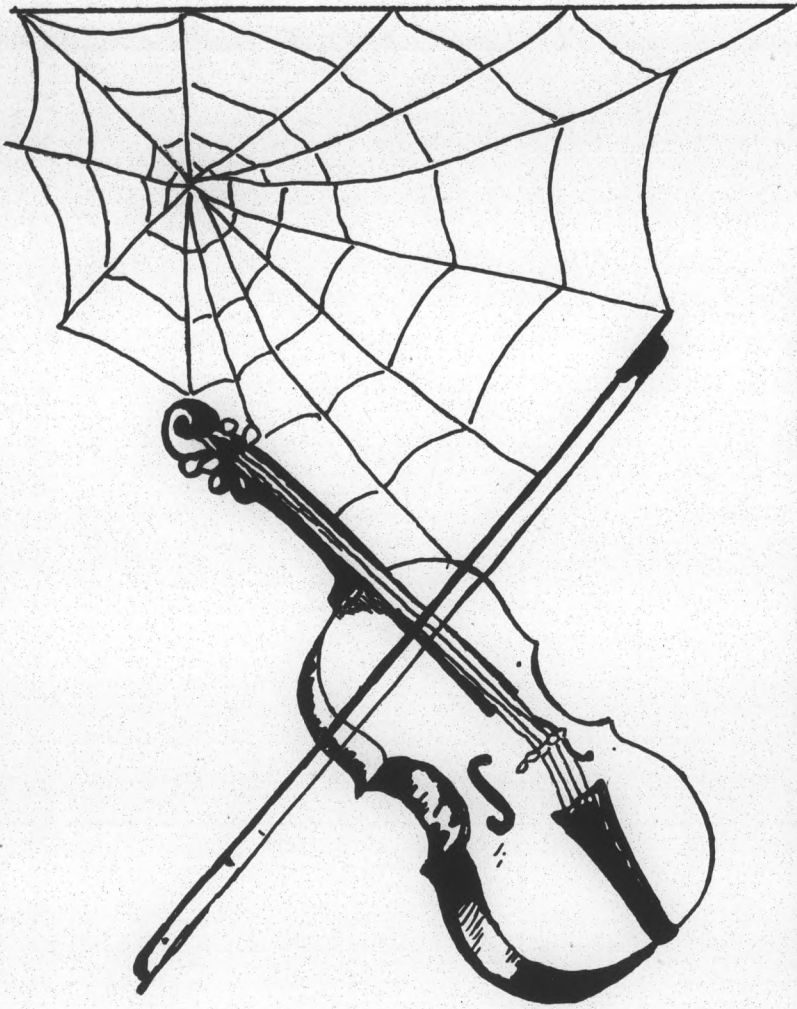
A. "Blinking" is most often a nervous habit, and is not unusual in children who pull their hair, fiddle with their nose and ears, bite their fingernails, and suck their thumbs. If there is no physical cause for the blinking, efforts should be made to ignore it completely. If it's "nervous blinking," undue attention will tend to prolong the habit.

When submitting questions, readers are requested NOT to enclose self-addressed envelopes. Questions are incorporated in these columns when possible.

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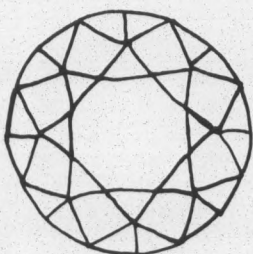
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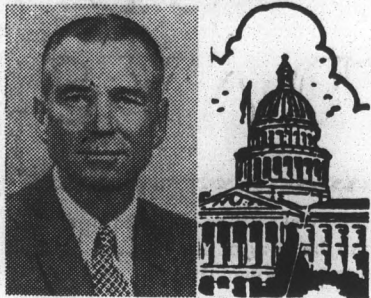
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YOUR LEGISLATOR AT WORK!



Senator
J. Howard Williams
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Twelve billion dollars is a nice round sum of cash. Yet, as I wrote here a few weeks ago, it is the estimated amount needed to bring our local streets and roads up to par. How to raise it is the tough question, and no grand jury investigation of quiz characters will make the answer any easier.

Part of a possible solution to the problem was discussed at length during a recent meeting of the Senate fact finding committee on transportation and public utilities. Staff of the committee submitted a report on

the revenues which would accrue from increased taxes on motor vehicles. Boosting the "in lieu" tax on the value of cars from \$2 to \$3 per hundred would produce from \$60 to \$65 million per year, the committee was told.

Counties and cities now receive the major portion of receipts from the in lieu tax, it was stated. However, they are not required to use the money for road purposes, and approximately half of the counties use some or all of it for highway purposes. The committee took some time reviewing the advisability of earmarking the extra funds which would be raised by the additional tax for street and road purposes. The words "in lieu" were tagged on this tax because it was substituted for the local property taxes which would otherwise be levied on vehicles, it was pointed out.

If such a raise were adopted, a car owner who now pays \$20 would pay \$30 per year. The regular registration fee of \$8 is in addition to this tax.

Such a raise was proposed as a possible alternative to a one cent increase in the gas tax, which would produce about as much revenue, it was indicated. An increase in the federal gas tax, which has been much discussed recently, was not referred to.

Also presented to the committee was a suggestion for a centralized state transportation agency. This would be to unite in one department all function relating to motor vehicle registration, highway construction and maintenance, and highway safety. If such a consolidation were effected, it was said, California would once again be leading the nation. No other state has gone so far in combining agencies having to do with automotive transportation.

Such a combination would, it was asserted, bring about immediate improvement in contact between highway engineers, motor vehicle administrators and the highway patrol. It would enable putting greater stress on traffic safety.

Highway construction and maintenance was originally a separate function in state government organization, but many years ago was consolidated into the predecessor of the present department of public works. Recently, however, the general trend among states has been to remove highway functions from over-all public works agencies, it was said.

Probably one of the basic reasons for this trend is that the job of providing and keeping up good highways has grown into such a huge task that separate organization has been necessary for efficient operation. Changing times commonly result in shifts in governmental structure.

This proposal for uniting highway functions into one state agency relates itself closely to

SENATOR WILLIAMS URGES "NO" VOTE ON NOVEMBER BALLOT PROPOSITION 15

SACRAMENTO, Oct. 27—Proposition 15 on the November ballot, a measure to reapportion the State Senate, was assailed in Sacramento this week by State Senator J. Howard Williams (R) of Tulare county as a vicious attempt at political reprisal by one man angered because the State Senate refused to pass a tax measure he desired.

"Our state government," said Senator Williams, "is based on the federal system, giving representation in the Assembly on the basis of population, and in the

Senate by geographical districts. This has worked well for over 100 years. Proposition 15 would unhinge this whole system. It would divide the state, setting one section against the other, and would work a hardship on every rural area in the state, regardless of location, because metropolitan representatives do not understand rural needs.

Senator Williams went on to explain that in the Assembly representation is strictly on a population basis, and said: "There, out of 80 seats, Los Angeles county has 31, giving that one county, with the aid of metropolitan counties, control of the Assembly. Proposition 15 would do the same thing in the Senate, putting the entire state under the control of just a few counties in the extreme southern part of the state. How could you get anything more inequitable? It would be like giving a few states in one part of the country seven or eight United States Senators each

as against two for each of the others.

"The people of California believe in fair play, and Proposition 15 is so unfair and injurious to the State," he said, "that even large metropolitan centers supposed to benefit from the measure have repudiated it. The mayors of such large cities as San Francisco, Oakland, San Diego and others have all urged defeat of Proposition 15, and for the sake of California's future, I urge all Tulare county voters to vote 'no' on Proposition 15."

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BUSINESS — I will support legislation that creates an "economic climate" in which business development is encouraged under the individual enterprise system, that, in turn, creates an expanding economy from which all people benefit.

TAXATION — I will always work for a balanced state budget through which taxpayers get fair value for their dollar; I will oppose any tax increase that is designed to create partisan, or special interest political power; I will oppose the trend toward continued expansion of big government.

HIGHWAYS — I will work in Sacramento for improvement of, and new construction of needed roads and highways to adequately serve Kings and Tulare counties.

NARCOTICS — I will fight for stronger narcotic control laws and better enforcement of existing laws; I will support scientific research concerning the narcotic problem, all aimed at eliminating the threat of the dope peddler to our teenagers and adults.

WELFARE — I will work for legislation to correct abuses within the Aid To Needy Children program, and abuses in other welfare programs in order to protect the taxpayers' dollar, and also to protect those unfortunate individuals who legitimately qualify for public assistance.

VETERANS — I will work to break the bureaucratic control of Veteran affairs in California, and to put control back on a cooperative basis between veterans, as represented by their organizations, and the State of California.

AGRICULTURE — I will support legislation designed to strengthen our farm economy, and I will oppose legislation designed to weaken it. I will support legislation that prohibits irresponsible labor bossism in our farm fields; I will oppose such bills as A.B. 419; I will oppose regulation of wages that places our farmers in an unfair competitive position with other sections of the nation; I believe in encouraging research designed to increase efficiency, and, thereby income, of agricultural workers.

SCHOOLS — I will fight to keep school control at the local level; I will oppose legislation that seeks to put our schools under bureaucratic control at any level of government.

AS A STATE ASSEMBLYMAN, I WILL ALWAYS SEEK THE ADVICE OF THE PEOPLE IN THE 35th ASSEMBLY DISTRICT CONCERNING LEGISLATION AFFECTING KINGS AND TULARE COUNTIES. MY ALLEGIANCE WILL ALWAYS BE TO THE PEOPLE OF THESE TWO COUNTIES, NEVER TO A POLITICAL MACHINE.

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Editorial Comment

NO MASON-DIXON LINE!

All voters in California, and particularly we voters in the "cow counties" should go against the infamous Proposition 15 that will appear on the November 8 ballot, for if Proposition 15 carries, it will mean that Los Angeles will virtually control the state legislature.

The hassle over reapportionment of the state Senate started when the Senate, during the last legislative session turned down a "possessory interest tax" on defense industries.

Without going into the pros and cons of the arguments over the tax, it is sufficient to say that in retribution for this action by the state Senate, the chairman of the Los Angeles county board of supervisors whipped up a ballot measure that would arbitrarily split the state of California into north and south, establishing a "Mason-Dixon" line, with 20 state Senators on each side.

Under the present, "federal" system of representation, California has two houses in its legislature — a Senate, with representation on a geographical basis, and the Assembly, with representation on a basis of population.

This is fair and equitable, and one house of legislature serves as a check against the other.

It must be remembered, however, that at the present time the Los Angeles area, because of its population, has a strong voice in the Assembly, at times a controlling voice.

If Proposition 15 carries, then Los Angeles will also control and dominate the Senate, and if that happens, we cow county people will have to go begging to southern California for anything we want or need from the state Legislature — and with no assurance of getting it.

California faces many problems in connection with its growth — the problems of water distribution, adequate schools, roads and highways, taxation, agriculture and welfare — to name a few.

These problems can be met and solved on a basis of equal representation for all sections of the state — the type of representation we now have.

If we people of the state vote in Proposition 15, and draw a Mason-Dixon line in California, then Los Angeles becomes the dictator, the rest of us the serfs.

Thinking, and fair-minded people, can only vote "No" on Proposition 15.

CALIFORNIA SPEAKS

Significant Statements by
Interesting Californians

DR. EDWARD TELLER, U. C. nuclear scientist — "I do not believe a third World War — even an all-out nuclear war — would be the end of the human race."

DOROTHY VAN NUYS, S. F. model, commenting on burglary of safe at House of Charm school — "We never lock the safe. We

use it as a closet, too, and it would be too hard to open every time a girl wanted some clothes."

BILL RIGNEY, Walnut Creek, former Giants manager, deposed in midseason — "Certainly I would like to manage again. It's in my blood, I guess."

DR. LAWRENCE C. LOCKLEY, head of Univ. of Santa Clara's Dept. of Marketing, discounting recession talk — "It is a recession only from what was a fever height to what is normal."

ROGER WILLIAMS, S. F. sports editor — "Coast collegiate football simply isn't holding up in national competition."

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AWARDS GIVEN AT JOINT 4-H CLUB MEETING

TERRA BELLA, Oct. 27—The Terra Bella Memorial building was the setting for the Joint Achievement Night Meeting of the Terra Bella and Ducor 4-H clubs on October 11.

Gordon R. Todd Jr., president of the Ducor club, presided at the meeting; Marilyn Ballew, president of the Terra Bella Club, was absent due to illness. Doug Doty, of the Terra Bella club, led in the pledge of allegiance and the 4-H pledge. Herb Muller introduced the Terra Bella corp of officers for 1960-61, and Gordon Todd introduced the Ducor officers.

Hubert Johnson, assistant manager of the Security First National bank of Porterville, representing the California Bankers' Association, presented the Achievement pins. John Emo, 4-H Farm advisor, presented the stars, seals and certificates.

First year pins were received by Craig Christiansen, Judy Daniels, Beverly Huggins, Mike Kuechel, Kemp Pope, Susan Pope, Beverly Reeves, Gary Strong, Beverly Strong, Eva Mustin, Galye Owen, Verlie Pettis and Verdel Olsen.

Receiving second year pins were: Lou Ann Guthrie, Jeff Jones, Helen Menne, and Virginia Rankins.

Third year were: Sharon Christiansen, Mike Guinn, Henry Hughes, Linda Jones, Richard Owen, and Romona Smith.

Fourth year were: John Baldwin, David Cannella, Nancy Chamberlain, Joyce Classen, Barbara Owen, and Kathy Rankins.

Fifth year were: Bennie Cannella and Henry Owen.

Sixth year were: John Smith, Les Guthrie and Calvin Todd.

Seventh year were: Glenna Cannella and Ronnie Bohannon.

Eighth year were: Susan Owen, Gary Kaiser and Gordon Todd, Jr.

Ninth year was Carol Ann Hunsaker.

Ducor club received a Gold Seal for last year's work.

Receiving bronze stars were: Linda Jones, Barbara Owen, Nancy Chamberlain, Glenna Cannella and Bennie Cannella.

Receiving silver stars were: Romona Smith and Henry Owen.

Les Guthrie and Calvin Todd received gold stars; Les will receive his All-Star Award in November.

All clubs have to have parents' help and assistance to lead their work. The following parents received certificates: Eddie Cannella, Frank Cannella, Elmer Kuechel and Annabelle Pope, first year; Jean Chamberlain,

THE OLD DAYS

PORTERVILLE ENTERPRISE October, 1889

The Mint, located in the Taylor block, is a handsome and commodious saloon, now open and fitted up in the renaissance style. The bar is the finest in town and quality of the liquor and cigars is unimpeachable. Private card rooms and billiards. Wolverton and Shry, proprietors.

Pioneer bank, with an authorized capital of \$70,000, loans money on real estate, warehouse receipts, stocks, bonds and all classes of securities. Rents collected and taxes paid. Special attention given to collections. P. N. Lillenthal, president; E. Newman, manager; E. W. Beebe, cashier.

Second to none is the Porterville hotel, Cole and Richards, proprietors.

J. N. Jersey, having bought the Reception saloon, is now enabled to supply customers with

Marian Guthrie, Genevieve Jones, Arlene Owen, Marylee Rankins and Idella Smith, third year; Jack Smith and Gordon Todd, Sr., fifth year; Opal Todd, sixth year; and Jim Carlisle, seventh year.

Ducor club gave a short program. Glenna Cannella played a piano solo, John Smith played an accordion solo and Romona Smith gave a tap dance number.

Following the adjournment of the meeting by Gordon Todd, Jr., refreshments of ginger bread and whipped cream was served by the hospitality committee.

HUNTERS AVERAGE FOUR BIRDS

SACRAMENTO, October 27 — Hunters who tried their luck on waterfowl management areas during the opening weekend of the 1960 season averaged four birds apiece.

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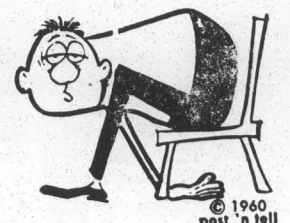
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BY BILL RODGERS

OUR GOOD friend Harlan Hagen, campaigning for reelection as 14th district Congressman, is at it again. Seems he made a talk at the Corcoran Rotary club the other day, and in the words of The Corcoran Journal, "sunk to a new low in campaign tactics and public speaking by deliberately inflicting a personal political tirade upon the startled members of the Corcoran Rotary club."

IN READING the Journal editorial, it appears that Hagen must have blasted everyone and everything in sight, then concluded by saying "Anyone would be a fool not to vote for me."

SO, AS we say, Harlan seems to be at it again. If he continues to run true to campaign form, he will threaten to sue someone for libel, he will wreck his car, and he will be picked up as a drunk somewhere along the line.

ALL OF which makes good copy for Happy Harlan, but sad copy to anyone old-fashioned enough to still believe that a Congressman should carry a certain amount of dignity, and command a reasonable amount of respect, and possess at least some ability to get things done in Washington.

OF COURSE, if such were still the qualifications for a Congressman, our friend Harlan would have been out long ago. And we honestly believe that he might be a better man in private life than he is as a Congressman, for Harlan might well have to change his ways if he ever lost the privilege of bailing out of drunk raps by taking congressional immunity.

BUT HARLAN is really on the campaign trail now. Watch for libel, watch for wrecks, watch for empty bottles along the way. (The foregoing is not a paid political statement. We are contributing it free of charge.)

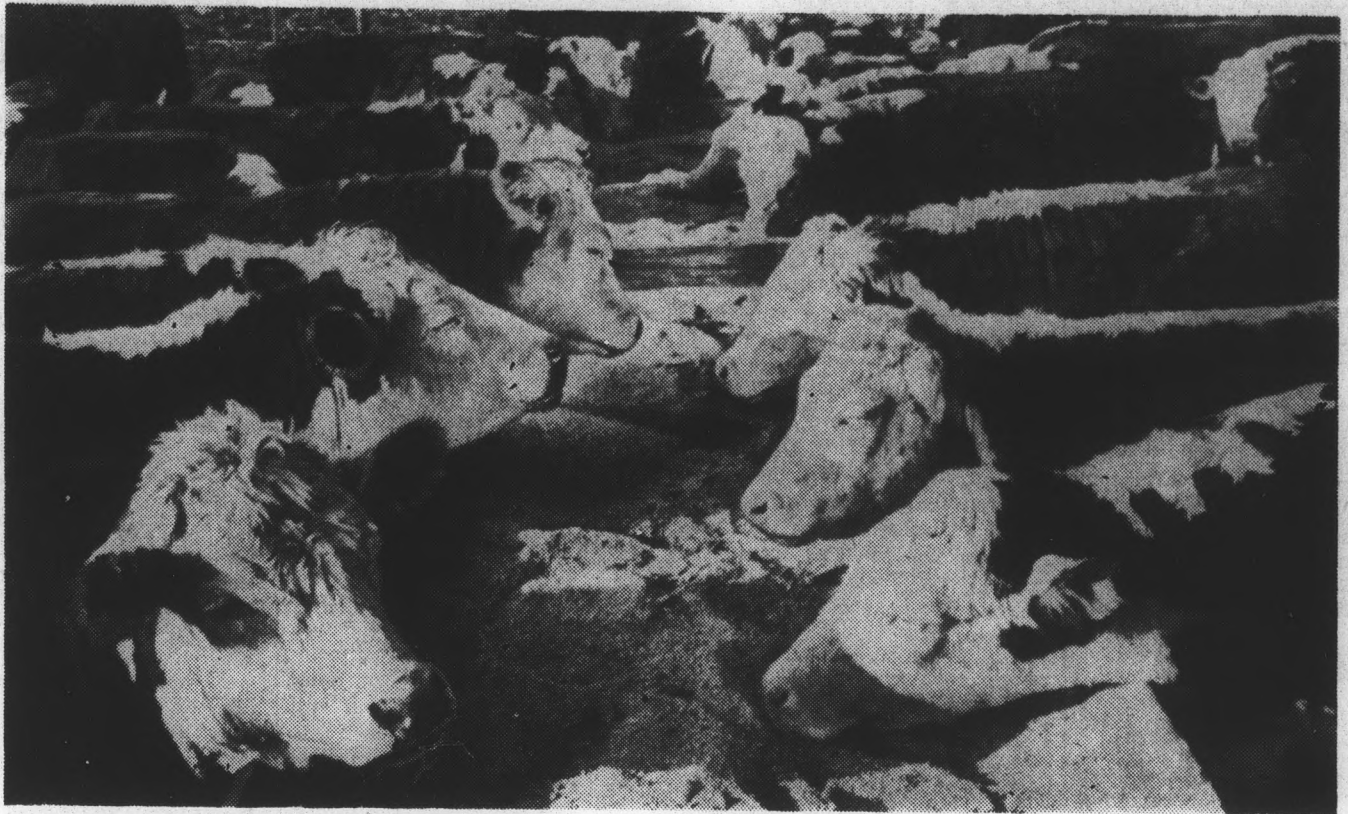
BUT NOW to more pleasant things. Our finest compliments to Buck Shaffer and his Porterville High School Panther band for their performance between halves of the Ram-Bear game Sunday in the Coliseum. There has been nothing but excellent comments resulting, and publicity for the band and the community — what with over 63,000 in the stands and a few million watching on TV — was tremendous . . . And now another top spot for this fine Panther band — The Tournament of Roses parade in Pasadena on New Year's day.

SPANISH DINNER PRECEEDS GAME SATURDAY NITE

PORTERVILLE, Oct. 27 — A Spanish dinner is planned by the Porterville College Patrons association at the Vandalia School cafeteria to precede the Porterville Pirate game with College of the Sequoias, Saturday, October 29, at 8:00. Co-chairmen, Mrs. H. O. Lindgren and Mrs. John Taggard, report dinner to be served from 6 to 8 p.m. and the menu consists of fried beans, tacos, encheladas, Spanish rice, bread and coffee.

Tickets are on sale at the Porterville United Savings and Loan office and any patron member, with the proceeds to go toward a college student scholarship fund. The general public is invited to attend, and tickets can be purchased at the dinner.

Due to the fact that the Porterville College Alumni are not planning a dinner this year, the Patron's President, Allen Weaver, states there will be a special reserved table at the dinner for Porterville College alumni.



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WATER PENETRATION TESTS TO BE SHOWN DURING COTTON FIELD DAY AT SHAFTER EXPERIMENT STATION

By Alan G. George
Farm Advisor

VISALIA, October 27 — Water penetration test results will be one of the features shown those who attend the Cotton Field day to be held at Shafter, Tuesday, November 1. The meeting will begin at 9:30 in the morning.

This day offers growers and other interested persons an opportunity to see the many types of experiments being carried on at the U.S. Cotton Field Station, which has contributed much of the information now being used

by the California cotton industry.

Water penetration, a rapidly increasing problem, has been attacked in many different ways in experiments this summer, and visitors will see the various results. Another serious problem, boll rots, will be discussed by scientists who have worked on this problem.

Experimental plots to be seen and discussed during the day include those showing the results of various irrigation practices, the relationships of different cultural practices, various methods of weed control, and cotton variety plots. Various exhibits will bring out points about cotton growing.

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DAWN LOEWEN, of Hanford, the 1960-61 California Dairy Princess, who is now in Chicago representing the state at the American Dairy Princess contest being held in the Conrad Hilton hotel. Miss Loewen is competing with representatives from 33 other states for the title of American Dairy Princess.

27 Blood Units Processed In 55 Minutes

SPRINGVILLE, Oct. 27 — A test to determine the speed with which blood can be obtained under emergency conditions was conducted Tuesday at the Tulare-Kings Hospital in Springville under the supervision of Dr. William A. Winn, medical director.

Working against time, a 10-member doctor and nurse team processed a total of 27 units in the record time of 55 minutes. A unit is the approximate equivalent of one liquid pint.

Cooperating in the simulated disaster alert as donors were inmates of the California Conservation camp with 44 of the inmates responding to the call. However, 17 of the men were rejected by the staff of seven interviewers working with the medical group because an insufficient time had elapsed since their last donation in August. The inmates participate regularly throughout the year in providing blood donations for routine hospital use.

According to Lt. R. L. Armer of the permanent Springville camp, no compensatory rewards or reduction of sentence are given the inmates for volunteering their services.

Assisting in the emergency test were Officer Ben H. Ward of the mobile camp and P. Quinn and George Tate of the California division of forestry.

Sugar beet production in California was forecast, as of October 1, at 4,343,000 tons, slightly under last year.

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CHAPEL CHIMES

By
Rev. N. J. Thompson

Some years ago, the great Paderewski was giving a concert at Carnegie Hall. It was his custom to practice every morning on his piano at his hotel suite.

Across the hall was a lady who became very upset at this morning music. She went to the hotel manager and complained, "Someone is hammering on an old piano. It is driving me crazy. I want the noise stopped, sir! At once!"

The amazed manager cried, "Noise? But Madam, that is the great Paderewski."

"Paderewski? Well, that's different. I had no idea the master was in New York. I adore good music. As a matter of fact, I too am a musician." The lady, from then on, kept the door of her apartment open every morning, to enjoy the great master's music.

Why does the music of the Master often sound discordant to us? Surely it must be because

we are out of tune. His holiness isn't harmony to us, because we are unholy. His love seems foolish, because we are hateful.

"How is it," asked a man of a minister, "that although Christianity has been preached for almost 2,000 years, yet there are millions of people who are not Christian?"

The minister replied, "Scientists tell us that water has been flowing for more than two million years. Yet many people are still dirty. The water will not clean us unless we make use of it. Neither will Christianity."

Dr. Edmund Steimble, in a nation-wide religious broadcast, asks, "As we approach God, don't we try to impress Him — and ourselves — with a liturgical show? We're fond of our vestments, candles, organ prelude, processional hymns, invocation and response, and so forth."

Have you heard God's voice, and felt His touch? That is the question.

A 43 per cent crop of Fuerte avocados in California was reported as of October 1.

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Our Town

By GARDNER WHEELER

TEENAGERS HAVE CONSPIRACY AND PARENTS ARE HELPLESS

AS A CHRONICLER OF the life and times of our town, this department has recently uncovered the cruelest conspiracy of all. That a conspiracy exists has been substantiated by our friends of the parent variety who are going joyously through life in a state of exhausted nirvana trying to merely keep up with the teen-agers.

THE TEEN-AGERS ARE THE culprits in this proposition. A purveyor of corn who used to write for the syndicates under the guise of a poet, once said, "It takes a heap of living to make a house a home." The teen-agers have expanded this thought

thusly: "It takes a heap of living to make a house a shambles."

TAKING A CUE FROM Ghandi, we find that teen-agers are in a great conspiracy of non-cooperation so far as keeping up the premises is concerned. They have one philosophy: floors are made to drop things on. As the law of gravity is working rather steadily, everything 'round and about our house seem to arrive on the floor.

FROM OUR VANTAGE point in the corner of the living room out of the traffic pattern, we can view one tennis racket, seven pairs of shoes, seven books, today's paper (Farm Tribune), one ukulele, one guitar, miscellaneous record albums, three slips, two skirts, and even some miscellaneous furniture, all on the floor. Even now, we can hear mad cackling from the kitchen where several of the species are sitting on the floor. Cause of the merriment is that someone spilled a whole package of corn flakes, on the floor, of course, but the dog is eating them flake by flake. He should be done in a few days.

THAT'S THE CRUX OF the conspiracy. Teen-agers seem incapable of hanging up anything. Psychologists will doubtless say that this is an expression of rebellion and hostility. To us, it's a nuisance, and is making a shambles of many a homestead. Parents are not exhausted from picking up after the non-cooperators. They are exhausted from stepping over, falling over, and crawling over hazards that are left around on the floor.

WHY NOT TELL THEM to pick things up? We've said it so often that we are hoarse. Now they can't even hear us.

FINAL SESSION OF LEADER SCHOOL

VISALIA, Oct. 27—Lou Rienzi will be featured at the third and final session of the Tulare County 4-H new leaders school tonight, at 6:45 p.m., at the Veterans' Memorial building, Tulare. Rienzi will discuss the characteristics and needs of 4-H members and how to meet them. He is a psychologist and consultant in child guidance in the Tulare County Superintendent of Schools office.

If all the milk produced in 48 states were gathered together, it would make a river 3,000 miles long, 40 feet wide, and 3 feet deep.

Giant Redwood

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of nearly 200 trees near the 6,500 foot elevation, will be marked by a plaque, carrying the wording, "Amos Alonzo Stagg, Giant Sequoia Redwood, dedicated to his 99th year, located on the shoulder of Jordan Peak Mountain, Tulare county, October 28, 1960.

The public is invited to attend the ceremony, which is being arranged by Al Tienken, of Lindsay. Representatives will be present from the county of Tulare, a number of cities, the Stockton chamber of commerce and possibly the University of Chicago, where Stagg coached for many years.

Football players, representing Lindsay, Porterville and Tulare, will be photographed around the tree; State Senator J. Howard Williams will participate in the ceremony.

An inspirational musical program is being arranged; a light lunch will be served.

Location of the Amos Alonzo Stagg Redwood can be reached via Springville, the Quaking Aspen road to a point about two

Thermometers

(Continued From Page 1)

tested and returned by 4 p.m. the next day.

Following are instructions for handling thermometers:

Fasten a new tag securely on the end opposite the bulb. Tags furnished at the deposit stations.

Write owner's name and packing house in pencil or waterproof ink on the back of the tag. Scratch initials on metal back of thermometer or use waterproof adhesive. The tag is primarily used to mark the correction — it may fall off in transit.

Place the thermometer bulb end down, in the collection box with the tag on top.

Do not leave thermometers in boxes, in wrappings, or tied together.

Do not leave frost alarms or thermographs for this test. Telephone the district meteorologist regarding testing these instruments.

All thermometers handled and

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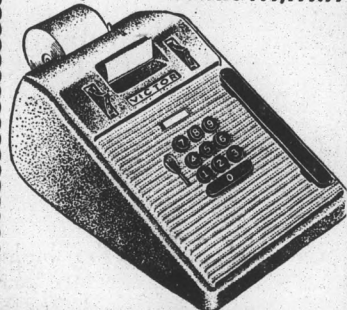
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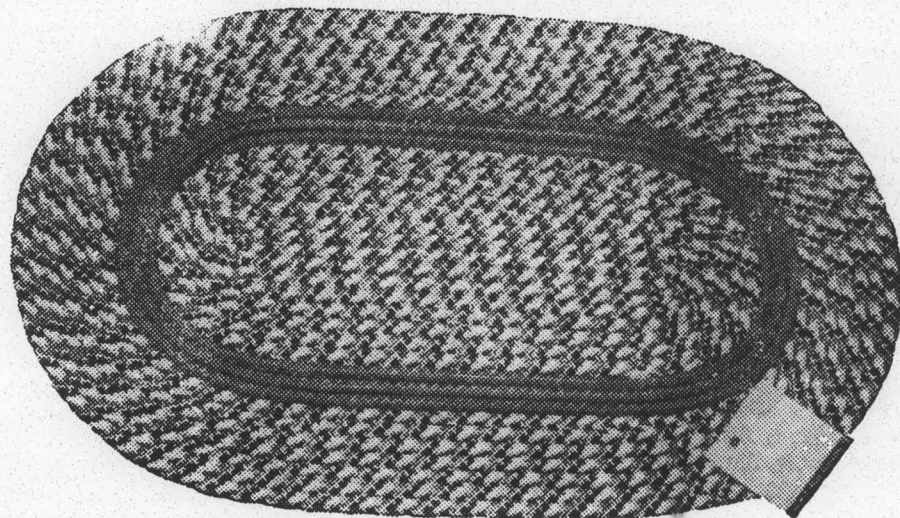
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Mr. Ray Gage, Stylist for Storrs Schaefer Tailors of Cincinnati, will be with us all day Tuesday, November 1st. You are invited to inspect the New Fall and Winter Fabrics... If you prefer a ready-made suit, may we show you the new styles and fabrics... they are beauties at popular prices...

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TAXES OF 1960**

As required under section 2609 and 2610 of the Revenue and Taxation Code of the State of California:

NOTICE is hereby given that the taxes for 1960-1961 on the first installment of all property on the secured roll will be due and payable on the **FIRST DAY OF NOVEMBER, 1960** and will be delinquent on the **TENTH DAY OF DECEMBER, 1960** at 5 o'clock p.m.

That unless paid prior thereto six per cent penalty will be added to the amount thereof.

The remaining second installment of said taxes will be due and payable on the

FIRST DAY OF FEBRUARY, 1961 and will be delinquent on the **TENTH DAY OF APRIL, 1961** at 5 o'clock p.m. and that unless paid prior thereto six per cent penalty, plus cost charges as provided by law, will be added to the amount thereof.

That all said taxes may be paid at the time said first installment, as herein provided, is due and payable. That place at which payment of taxes may be made will be at the office of the Tax Collector in the Court House, Visalia, Tulare County, California, between the hours of 8:00 a.m. and 5:00 p.m., Mondays through Friday, legal holidays excepted.

Dated this 17th day of October, 1960, at Visalia, California.
s/ J. A. JANELLI,
Tax Collector of the
County of Tulare, State
of California oct20,27

ASSESSMENT NOTICE

Notice is hereby given that at a regular meeting of the Directors of the Hubbs and Miner Ditch Co., held on the 3rd day of October, 1960, an Assessment No. 75 of \$4.00 per share was levied upon the capital stock (of issue) of the above named corporation, payable immediately to the Secretary of said corporation.

Any stock upon which this assessment shall remain unpaid on the 21st day of November will be delinquent and a penalty of 5% will be added thereto, and unless payment is made before, will be sold at auction at the residence of the Secretary at 2 p.m. on the 21st day of December, 1960, to pay delinquent Assessment, penalty and costs of sale.

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NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that EUGENE BOYDSTUN, residing at 311 North "H" Street, City of Porterville, County of Tulare, State of California, and J. CLIFTON WORTHINGTON, residing at 24965 Avenue 196, Strathmore, County of Tulare, State of California, are engaged in the business of conducting and carrying on the operation of a trailer park business, under the fictitious name and style of RIVER'S EDGE TRAILER PARK at P. O. Box 53, Springville, County of Tulare, State of California.

That the above partners named in full, are the only persons owning or holding any interest in and to said business or partnership.

DATED, September 15, 1960.

s/ EUGENE BOYDSTUN
J. CLIFTON WORTHINGTON
STATE OF CALIFORNIA) ss.
County of Tulare)

On this 15th day of September, 1960, before me, a Notary Public, in and for said County and State, personally appeared EUGENE BOYDSTUN and J. CLIFTON WORTHINGTON, known to me to be the persons whose names are subscribed to the within instruments and acknowledged to me that they executed the same.

WITNESS MY HAND and Official Seal.

s/ ROBERT C. NATZKE
Notary Public in and for said
County and State.

My Commission expires January 24, 1961. oct27,nov 3.10.17

**NOTICE TO CREDITORS
No. 15309**

Superior Court of the State of California
For the County of Tulare

Estate of CORA D. HARGETT, also known as Cora Hargett, Deceased.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN to the creditors of the above named decedent that all persons having claims against the said decedent are required to file them, with the necessary vouchers, in the office of the clerk of the above entitled court, or to present them, with the necessary vouchers, to the undersigned at the office of Burford, Hubler & Burford, 520 East Mill Street, Porterville, California, which is the place of business of the undersigned in all matters pertaining to the estate of said decedent, within six months after the first publication of this notice.

Dated September 26, 1960.

GAYLORD A. HUBLER, Executor
of the Will of the above named decedent.

Burford, Hubler & Burford
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Porterville, California
Telephone SUNset 4-5064
Attorneys for Executor

First publication: September 29, 1960.
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NOTICE OF TRUSTEES' SALE

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that on Thursday, November 10, 1960, at the hour of 10 o'clock, A.M., of said day, at the front entrance of the City Hall in the City of Tulare, County of Tulare, State of California, EDW. F. HALBERT and ROLAND E. MORRIS, as Trustees under the Deed of Trust executed by LEONARD N. LOCKE and VERA LOCKE, his wife, in which GUARANTEE SAVINGS AND LOAN ASSOCIATION OF TULARE, a corporation, is named as Beneficiary, recorded March 30, 1959, in Volume 2115, Page 279 of Official Records, of Tulare County, by reason of default in the payment or performance of obligations secured thereby, and notice of default and Beneficiary's election to cause to be sold the property herein below described, having been recorded as provided for by law and more than three months having elapsed since such recordation, will sell at public auction to the highest bidder for cash (PAYABLE IN LAW) **REAL ESTATE OF THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA AT TIME OF SALE**, without warranty expressed or implied as to the title, possession or encumbrances, the interest conveyed to and now held by them as such Trustees, in and to the following described property in the County of Tulare, State of California, described as follows:

The South half of Lot 21, in Tract 36, in the City of Porterville, County of Tulare, State of California, as per Map recorded in Book 19, Page 70 of Maps in the office of the County Recorder of said County.

for the purpose of paying the obligations secured by said Deed of Trust, including fees, charges and expenses of Trustees and of sale.

Dated October 10, 1960.

EDW. F. HALBERT
ROLAND E. MORRIS

oct20,27,nov3,10

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**NOTICE TO CREDITORS
No. 15334**

Superior Court of the State of California
For the County of Tulare

Estate of HJLAMAR JOHNSON
Deceased.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN to the creditors of the above named decedent that all persons having claims against the said decedent are required to file them, with the necessary vouchers, in the office of the clerk of the above entitled court, or to present them, with the necessary vouchers, to the undersigned at the law offices of Natzke & Moran, 304 East Putnam Street, Porterville, California, which is the place of business of the undersigned in all matters pertaining to the estate of said decedent, within six months after the first publication of this notice.

Dated October 24th, 1960.

SONJA J. DALTON, Administratrix

ROBERT C. NATZKE, Attorney of
the Estate of the above named decedent.

NATZKE & MORAN
Attorneys at Law
304 East Putnam Street
Porterville, California
Attorneys for Administratrix

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**NOTICE TO CREDITORS
No. 15332**

Superior Court of the State of California
For the County of Tulare

Estate of HELEN E. SLUSSER,
also known as Helen Slusser,
Deceased.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN to the creditors of the above named decedent that all persons having claims against the said decedent are required to file them, with the necessary vouchers, in the office of the clerk of the above entitled court, or to present them, with the necessary vouchers, to the undersigned at the offices of Burford, Hubler & Burford, 520 East Mill Street, Porterville, California, which is the place of business of the undersigned in all matters pertaining to the estate of said decedent, within six months after the first publication of this notice.

Dated October 11, 1960.

THEODORE M. SLUSSER,
Executor of the Will of the
above named decedent

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**NOTICE TO CREDITORS
No. 15331**

Superior Court of the State of California
For the County of Tulare

Estate of MARTHA KELLY, also known as Mattie Kelly and Martha Mabel Kelly, Deceased.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN to the creditors of the above named decedent that all persons having claims against the said decedent are required to file them, with the necessary vouchers, in the office of the clerk of the above entitled court, or to present them, with the necessary vouchers, to the undersigned at the offices of Burford, Hubler & Burford, 520 East Mill Street, Porterville, California, which is the place of business of the undersigned in all matters pertaining to the estate of said decedent, within six months after the first publication of this notice.

Dated October 11, 1960.

WILLIAM SOWELL, JR.,
Executor of the Will of the
above named decedent

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Attorneys for Executor

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**CITRUS GROWERS
TO RIVERSIDE
TOMORROW**

VISALIA, Oct. 27 — Central California citrus growers will visit the University of California Citrus Experiment station at Riverside, at 10:00 a.m., tomorrow. Dr. A. M. Boyce, Dean of the College of Agriculture, will greet the visitors and point out the major fields of work undertaken at the Station.

Some of the facilities the citrus growers will see includes: Biological control laboratories, soils and plant nutrition laboratories, and air pollution chambers. Discussions of improved tree growth and production and disease identification and prevention will round out the program.

The Citrus Experiment Station is located three and one half miles east of Riverside off U.S. Highway 60 — State Highway 395.

Cheesecake, the genuine variety, is actually as ancient as the Parthenon. It was the piece de resistance of Greek cuisine, poets wrote sonnets about it, and a village was named for it.

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By John

One look beneath the shade trees will probably convince you fall is somewhere around. These beautiful colors are now gracing your lawn, your roof, and the walks. We prefer to leave them there because they're so pretty, but some feel it's because we're so lazy.

If you leave them and enjoy their beauty we suggest gathering the tools, toys, sprinklers, and small children before they're lost in this autumn glory. However, if you prefer raking the harvest into neat piles for the kids to play in, the toys can be gleaned as you go along.

We, of course, have leaf rakes, garden carts, and free matches to help you with the task. We'll even loan you a long stick to stir the burn pile, if needed.

Even better, you might drive around and enjoy the fall colors of Porterville's street trees. A trip through Murry Park will reward you with a good show and if you have time, the Tule River country on into Balch Park is first rate. If you work it right you can forget your own leaves, dine out, and enjoy one of Porterville's best seasons.

Next week stay home and plant one of our colorful Pistachio, Liquidamber, or Tulip Trees to enjoy for years to come.

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HOMECOMING QUEEN SELECTION FROM 15 COLLEGE STUDENTS SET FOR THIS EVENING IN AUDITORIUM

PORTERVILLE, Oct. 27 — A field of 15 Porterville College women will compete for the title

of Veterans' Day Homecoming queen, with the judging to be conducted at 7:30 p.m., Thursday, October 27, at the Memorial auditorium.

The queen will have a court of one senior princess and four attendants, and will rule over events leading up to and including the 42nd annual veterans' celebration to be held in Porterville on Friday, November 11.

The contestants are Nancy Hunting, a sophomore student; and Diane Anderson, Carla Cloer, Vada Coates, Jackie Endsley, Linda Gearin, Kari Guion, Linda Lindgren, Susan Mills, Sue Olmstead, Ann Pittman, Lynda Todd, Florence Tomich, Frances Tom-

ich, and Deanna Todd, all freshmen.

The public is invited to the judging, when representatives from community organizations rate the contestants on appearance, personality, and knowledge of current events.

The queen will be crowned at a coronation ball to be held on Friday, November 4th. During the week preceding the homecoming day; she and her court will visit local service clubs and organizations. The queen's float will be in the first division of the Homecoming parade.

All arrangements for selection and participation of the queen and her court in the homecoming activities are made by student and faculty committees of the college. Judy Taggard, last year's queen, is the student general chairman, while Arthur Van Horn, dean of student activities, heads the faculty group.

Production of 9,300,000 tons of California apples this season is being forecast now; this is 15 per cent below last year, but seven per cent above average.

Quick Decline Resistant Rootstock For Citrus Discussed By Advisor

By Karl W. Opitz
Farm Advisor

VISALIA, Oct. 27—Widespread use of Troyer citrange, trifoliate orange, and Cleopatra mandarin in South California confirms experimental evidence that these rootstocks are not affected by the Quick Decline virus.

On the other hand, it is possible for the virus to be carried by these stocks if the disease is introduced by budding, grafting or an insect vector. It is, therefore, of great importance that care be taken to avoid using any buds of unknown ancestry.

Because of the behavior of virus diseases in plants, control is largely a matter of prevention. The only certain prevention of Quick Decline, known to the pathologists as "tristeza" is in using resistant rootstocks.

As long as 70 per cent or more of the old orange groves in Central California are on sour or-

ange rootstock, however, it is extremely important to maintain existing quarantine restrictions on the movement of young trees and budwood from infested areas.

Recently, several trees originating outside Tulare county were found to be carrying tristeza. State pathologists and Agricultural commission personnel concerned with detection and eradication of this disease has taken the necessary steps to stamp it out.

Since the menace of tristeza remains, orange growers contemplating new plantings must realize the possible effects of tristeza should the virus get out of control. Selected strains of trifoliate orange, Troyer citrange and Cleopatra mandarin remain the best choices for rootstocks under Tulare county conditions.



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BURTON CLUB PLANS HAYRIDE, WIENER ROAST

BURTON, Oct. 27 — Annual hayride and wiener roast has been set for November 19 by members of the Burton 4-H club, with each member allowed to bring one guest, it was announced at October meeting of club, held at the Burton school.

In other business of the meeting, Mary Kay Rodgers was awarded \$5.00 for having sold the most tickets to the recent 4-H club breakfast; the club made \$145 from breakfast ticket sales.

Project reports were given by: Barbara Alexander, Ann Bluekle, Peter Crane, Kathy Cunningham, Roger Davenport, Jane Griswold, Linda Gubler, Dan Nuckols, Tom Pratt, Sharon Ryan, Perry Smith and Pat Cone.

Junior leaders for the coming year were announced as: Sharon Rey, Susan Rodgers, Lora Beth Smith, Mike McCathy, Bob and Dan Nuckols, Barbara Alexander, Carolyn Cox, Don Griswold, Bud West, Dick Pratt, Sparky Noble, Katy Cunningham, and Roger Davenport.

At the October meeting of the club, Dan Nuckols led the flag salute, and Roger Davenport led the 4-H pledge.

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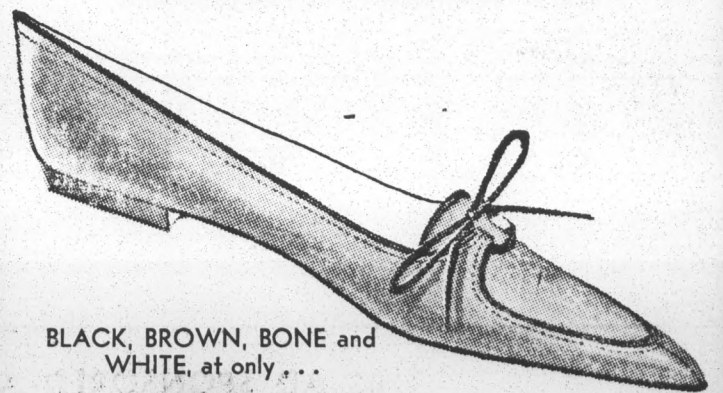
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News Of The SPRINGVILLE COMMUNITY

By WINNIE GAGE

Brenda Avery celebrated her fifth birthday Thursday, October 20, with a Halloween party given by her mother, Mrs. Carl Avery, at the Avery ranch. After a candy hunt and opening of gifts, refreshments were served to the guests.

Those invited were Steve Fitten, Sally and Sheila Seaman, Candy Gill, Keith, Sue and Lynn Little, Jackie and Robert Umy, Linda and Loyd Pearson, Charlotte and Brian Borror.

Mothers present were Leona Little and Betty Gill.

Mr. and Mrs. Virgil Throne-

bery and daughter of Fresno were Sunday guests of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Thronebery.

The Women's Society of Christian Service of the Springville Community Methodist Church began their fall program with the League of Women Voters.

The two guest speakers coming from the League were Mrs. Floyd Brown of Exeter and Miss Annabelle Brown from Tulare.

The program proved interesting and informative as the two women presented each proposition in an unbiased way giving the information for and against each issue.

Refreshments were served by the officers of the Women's Society. At the next monthly meeting the Society will celebrate the 20th anniversary of the founding of their organization.

The Springville Hobby Club met last Friday in the home of Mrs. Ethel Rush with Miss Lucile Higgins as co-hostess.

After roll call and reading of the minutes, the annual election of officers was held. Lucile Higgins was re-elected as president; Mrs. Bessie Ruby as vice-president, and Mrs. Florence Fitzpatrick was elected secretary and treasurer, replacing Mrs. Goldie



Mrs. Vivian Ackerman, Tucson housewife, is the top volunteer saleswoman for the Treasury Department—"Mrs. U. S. Savings Bonds," for 1961. Mrs. Ackerman, who is the mother of three children, was chosen in the "Mrs. America"

finals at Ft. Lauderdale, Florida, this summer. The attractive brunette volunteer ambassador will spend most of her time during the year touring the country to promote the sale of U. S. Savings Bonds and Stamps.

Haggard.

The members brought items for Christmas gifts that they had made, and the November meeting is to be a dried weed work day making plaques, wreaths and pictures. They will meet in the home of Mrs. Winnie Gage and the Wayside Hobby Center.

Refreshments of cookies, jello, canapes, tea and coffee were served to the above named and Mmes. Mary Lunsford, Emma McCutcheon, Ruth Shoup and Miss Alice Smith of Porterville; Ann Baird, Nell Southworth and Rose Van Ness.

Rose Van Ness and Florence Fitzpatrick are new members. Guests were Mrs. Philena Brown, Mrs. Ann Summerville and Mrs. Ruth Miller.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Hamar have returned home from a week's trip to Death Valley and a few days along the Kern river.

Mrs. Earl Wilson is able to be home after several days in the hospital in Visalia with pneumonia fever.

Springville Hospital Auxiliary met in the nurses' home on the hospital grounds on October 18. Plans were completed for annual rummage sale which was held last Saturday and was very successful.

Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Sanders were Friday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Gene Sadler, Mrs. Grace Sadler, and Mr. and Mrs. Leo Harrison in Porterville.

Mr. and Mrs. Ted Baker are announcing the birth of a son, Ted Allan, on October 16. Weight 8 lbs., in the Exeter hospital. The paternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Robert Baker of Exeter; maternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Al Parks of Atlanta,

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latest developments in cotton growing. Water penetration studies, emphasizing the growing problem of water penetration, will be shown through test plots. The comparison of water from various sources, and the value of gypsum in irrigation water will be shown.

There will be irrigation plots demonstrating the effect of different amounts and timing of water application. The interrelationships of different dates of planting, differing plant populations, and applications of nitrogen will form a part of the program.

Visitors will see weed control tests showing the effect of varying weed populations on cotton yields, and plots showing the results of using several new chemicals.

Storage of Water

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tion of acceptance since the association has no taxing power.

It was said that one of the Irrigation districts on the Tule — probably the Porterville Irrigation district or the Lower Tule River Irrigation district — could contract for storage space back of Success dam, then subcontract to the various ditch companies.

This idea was opposed on the basis of the "big district taking over," but it was suggested that it might be possible for a district to actually be the contracting agent, but the Tule River Water Users' association would be the administering agent.

Plots demonstrating the growth of different varieties of commercial cotton will be shown. Advanced strains of cotton used in four western cotton growing states will be seen.

Involved in administration of stored water are many new factors: The location of new measuring points to determine amounts of water to which ditch companies are entitled on a basis of their established water rights; the pro-rating of loss by evaporation during the storage period; the necessity for cooperative agreement through which several or all ditch companies using the channel of the Tule river release their stored water at the same time to cut seepage loss and develop the necessary flow to carry the water down the channel, and the actual determining of how much water a specific company may be entitled to, since in some cases rights are determined in relation to flow in the river channel, or in other ditches.

With Success dam due for completion this fall, it is expected that water storage space will be available for the spring runoffs. It is possible to contract space on a temporary, year-to-year basis, however, not until permanent storage contracts are completed does the money paid in go toward offsetting irrigation benefits of the dam and reservoir project.

This cost is 9 1/2 per cent of the project cost, or \$1,296,000, which will have to be paid by irrigation interests along the river through storage contracts; maximum storage space for sale is 75,000 acre feet.

It is also said that unless water interests near the dam contract the storage space, "outsiders" may come in and tie up the storage, since, it is said, the bureau of reclamation will deal with any legitimate group for storage space.

Underlying all the discussion is a desire on the part of Tule water users to lengthen the season of water flow as far as possible into the summer through the storage of runoff water that comes at a time when it is not really needed for irrigation.

At the Monday night meeting, representatives of all ditch companies within the Water Users' association, indicated an interest in securing storage space.

In a different position than other companies is the Pioneer Water company that owns one of the oldest rights on the Tule and which has its own ditch outlet from the dam — the only ditch company so served.

It is the attitude of directors of the Pioneer Water company that it will go along with other

Pioneer Contract

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Hilton has been in contact with the Sacramento and Fresno offices of the bureau of reclamation working toward a contract agreement.

Because the Pioneer Ditch has its own outlet from Success dam — the only ditch company that has a separate outlet, it is in a better position than some other ditch companies to go ahead with an independent water storage contract.

One problem facing directors of the Pioneer Water company is the condition of its ditches, with ditch companies if the Tule River Water Users' association is the contracting agency for storage space, but might not go along if one of the irrigation districts becomes the contracting agent.

Actually, Pioneer is about ready to enter into a temporary contract with the bureau of reclamation for the storage of its water next spring.

While the U.S. Army engineers constructed the Success dam primarily as a flood control project, irrigation aspects of the dam are handled by the bureau of reclamation.

Members of the Tule River Water Users' association are: Poplar Ditch company, Pioneer Water company, Pleasant Valley Canal company, Campbell-Mooreland Ditch company, Vandalla Irrigation district, Porter Slough Ditch company, Hubbs & Miner, Gilliam-McGee, and Rhoades and Fine.

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directors discussing, at several meetings, possible plans for major improvement of these water transportation facilities.

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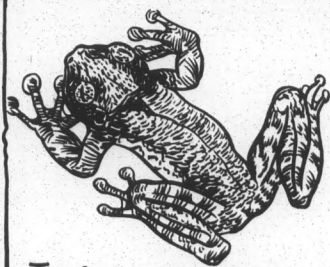
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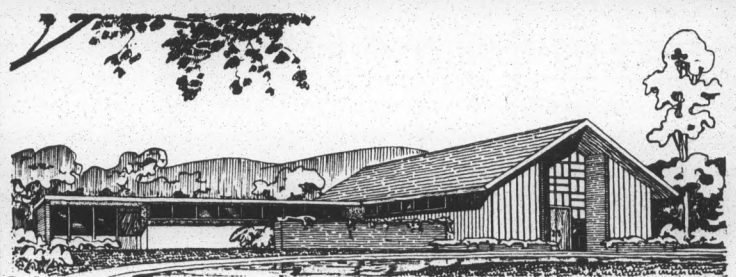
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